

Submission of Replacement Formal Drawing

A replacement formal drawing for Fig. 4 is submitted herewith, in order to label Fig. 4 as "Prior Art".

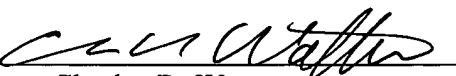
Entry and approval are respectfully requested.

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment is presented in order to: (1) amend claim 1 as amended in the international application under PCT Article 19; (2) add PCT data to the top of page 1 of the specification; and (3) amend Fig. 4 to include the label "Prior Art" (in this regard, a replacement formal drawing for Fig. 4 is attached).

Respectfully submitted,

Seiji IWAI et al.

By 

Charles R. Watts

Registration No. 33,142

Attorney for Applicants

CRW/asd
Washington, D.C. 20006-1021
Telephone (202) 721-8200
Facsimile (202) 721-8250
April 13, 2006